

BioOne Announces New Collection for Online Access

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BioOne® announces the launch of *BioOne.2* — a second collection of online editions in the fields of organismal and integrative biology, including ecology and the environment. Similar to the original collection — *BioOne.1* — content will include the full texts of peer-reviewed journals and supplemental research materials published by scholarly societies, university presses and other organizations. Many of the titles included have not been available electronically or have had limited electronic access until now. Planned for online access starting in January 2007, subscriptions to *BioOne.2* will be available in combination with *BioOne.1*, with special discounts, or separately.

BioOne introduced its first online research service in 2001 with 43 titles from 35 independent nonprofit publishers. The *BioOne.1* set today includes 84 publications from 68 publishers. The *BioOne.2* set will be launched in January with 20 to 30 titles and will be expanded progressively, with further additions in both 2007 and in future years. An expert panel of scholars and librarians has advised BioOne on publications of high quality and impact, appropriate for inclusion in the aggregation.

“We are pleased to respond to the needs of our community of research institutions and independent publishers by making fully-accessible online many more research publications than would be possible within our existing collection. While being produced as separate sets, the two collections will share the same web site, features and functionality, with full interoperability,” said Susan Skomal, Executive Director of BioOne.

Details on publications in the new set's charter year package and subscription prices (including introductory discounts) will be announced soon.

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